SENATE BILL No. 58

Introduced by Senator Murray

January 12, 2005

An act relating to economic development.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 58, as introduced, Murray. Economic development: motion picture production.

Existing law provides for various programs for the development of economic opportunities in the state.

This bill would express the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to discourage the practice of producing and filming motion pictures outside the state.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. (a) It is the intent of the Legislature to enact
- 2 legislation to discourage "runaway production" in the motion
- 3 picture industry in this state.
- 4 (b) For the purpose of this section, "runaway production"
- 5 means the practice of producing and filming motion pictures
- 6 outside this state.